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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION FOR PATENT

INVENTOR: Reinhold MEIER et al. | DOCKET NO.: 4953

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FILING DATE: June 13, 2006 | ART UNIT: 3745

TITLE OF INVENTION: | EXAMINER: N. E. WIEHE  
Gas Turbine Component

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Honorable Commissioner:

Please amend the above identified application as follows.

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